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Representative Petersen Applauds Governor Ducey for Signing Universal Licensing Bill Into Law

STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX – House Majority Leader Warren Petersen (R-12) today applauded Governor Doug Ducey for signing [HB 2569](#) into law.

HB 2569, which was sponsored by Representative Petersen, will grant licensure to individuals who establish residency in Arizona, hold a comparable license in another state, and meet certain criteria. Applicants must be in “good standing” in the state in which they are licensed, pay applicable fees in Arizona to obtain licensure, not have a criminal history, and satisfy other standards. The bill received bipartisan support in the Legislature.

“I’m grateful to Governor Ducey and my colleagues in the Legislature for making Arizona the first state in the country to offer universal occupational licensing recognition,” said Representative Petersen. **“By getting government out of the way and letting qualified professionals get right to work, HB 2569 will increase economic opportunity, create jobs, and grow Arizona’s economy.”**

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